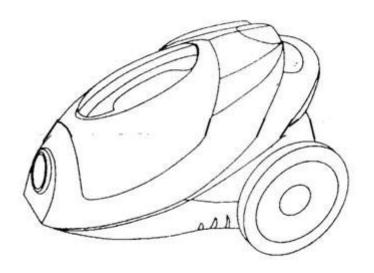


# Model EP720 Use and Care Instructions



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Model EP720



#### **ONE (1) YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY**

**EURO-PRO** CORPORATION warrants this product to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year from the date of the original purchase, when utilized for normal household use, subject to the following conditions, exclusions and exceptions.

If your appliance fails to operate properly while in use under normal household conditions within the warranty period, return the complete appliance and accessories, freight prepaid to

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If the appliance is found by *EURO-PRO* to be defective in material or workmanship, *EURO-PRO* will repair or replace it free of charge. Proof of purchase date and \$ 9.95 to cover the cost of return shipping and handling must be included. \*

Non-durable parts including, without limitation, dust cup filters, filters, brushes and electrical parts which normally require replacement are specifically excluded from warranty.

The liability of **EURO-PRO** Corporation is limited solely to the cost of the repair or replacement of the unit at our option. This warranty does not cover normal wear of parts and does not apply to any unit that has been tampered with or used for commercial purposes. This limited warranty does not cover damage caused by misuse, abuse, negligent handling or damage due to faulty packaging or mishandling in transit. This warranty does not cover damage or defects caused by or resulting from damages from shipping or repairs, service or alterations to the product or any of its parts, which have been performed by a repair person not authorized by **EURO-PRO**.

This warranty is extended to the original purchaser of the unit and excludes all other legal and/or conventional warranties. The responsibility of *EURO-PRO* Corporation if any, is limited to the specific obligations expressly assumed by it under the terms of the limited warranty. In no event is *EURO-PRO* Corporation liable for incidental or consequential damages of any nature whatsoever. Some states do not permit the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

\*Important: Carefully pack item to avoid damage in shipping. Be sure to include proof of purchase date and to attach tag to item before packing with your name, complete address and phone number with a note giving purchase information, model number and what you believe is the problem with item. We recommend you insure the package (as damage in shipping is not covered by your warranty). Mark the outside of your package "ATTENTION CUSTOMER SERVICE".

#### OWNERSHIP REGISTRATION CARD

Please fill out and mail the product registration card within ten (10) days of purchase in order to validate the foregoing Limited Warranty. The registration will enable us to contact you in the unlikely event of a product safety notification. By returning this card you acknowledge to have read and understood the instructions for use, and warnings set forth in the accompanying instructions.

RETURN TO EURO-PRO CORPORATION, 178 WEST SERVICE RD., CHAMPLAIN, N.Y. 12919

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Appliance model			
Date purchased		Name of store	
Owner's name			
Address	City	State	Zip Code

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#### **Please Note:**

The Dust Cup Filter and the Pre-Motor Filter are washable.

#### **Important:**

Make sure that both the Dust Cup Filter and the Pre-Motor Filter are completely dry before inserting back in the vacuum.

# **IMPORTANT**

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE MICRO-EXHAUST FILTER IS NOT WASHABLE

### **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

When using an electrical appliance, basic safety precautions should always be observed, including the following:

#### READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING YOUR VACUUM CLEANER.

**WARNING:** To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, or injury:

- Do not leave vacuum cleaner unattended when it is plugged in. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before changing bags or filters.
- 2. To reduce the risk of electric shock do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
- 3. Do not allow children to use as a toy. Close attention is necessary when used by or near children.
- Use only as described in this manual. Use only manufacturer's recommended attachments.
- Do not use with damaged cord or plug. Do not use vacuum cleaner if it has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water. Return appliance to *EURO-PRO* Corporation for examination, repair or adjustment.
- Do not pull or carry by cord. Do not use cord as a handle, close a door on cord, or pull cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run appliance over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- 7. Do not unplug by pulling on cord. To unplug, grasp the plug, not the cord.
- Do not handle plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands. Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces.
- Do not put any objects into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked and do not restrict airflow. Keep all openings free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce airflow.
- 10. Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers, and all parts of body away from openings and moving parts.
- 11. Do not pick up hot coals, cigarette butts, matches or any hot, smoking, or burning objects.
- 12. Do not pick up hard or sharp objects such as glass, nails, screws, coins, etc.
- 13. Do not use without dust bag and/or filters in place.
- 14. Turn off all controls before plugging or unplugging vacuum cleaner.
- 15. Use extra care when vacuuming on stairs.
- Do not pick up flammable or combustible materials (lighter fluid, gasoline, kerosene, etc.) or use in the presence of explosive liquids or vapor.
- 17. Do not pick up toxic material (chlorine bleach, ammonia, drain cleaner, etc.).
- 18. Do not use in an enclosed space filled with vapors given off by oil based paints, paint thinner, moth proofing substances, flammable dust, or other explosive or toxic vapors.
- 19. Always unplug this appliance before connecting or disconnecting vacuum hose. Do not allow plug to whip when rewinding.
- 20. Use only on dry, indoor surfaces.
- 21. Do not use for any purpose other than described in this user's guide.

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug will fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not modify the plug in any way.

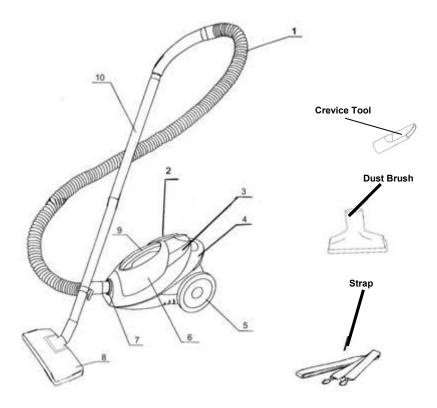
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#### **Model EP720**

120 V~, 60Hz., 10.8 A.

# **Main Components**



- 1. Hose
- 2. Cord Rewind Button
- 3. Power On/off Button
- 4. Handle
- 5. Big Wheel

- 6. Dust Cup
- 7. Air Intake Duct
- 8. Deluxe, Automatic, Floor to Carpet Nozzle
- 9. Dust Cup Lifting Handle
- 10. Telescopic Tube

### Flat & Upright Parking Position

Please note that your vacuum cleaner can be conveniently placed in a space saving vertical parking position or in a convenient flat parking position.

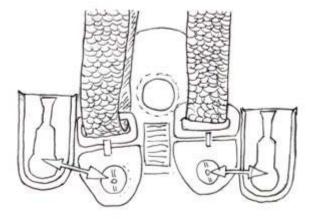
- 1. Place unit on its side. Slide floor nozzle into locking position with receptacle which rests on top of unit.
- 2. While laying flat on 3 wheels, slide floor nozzle into locking position with receptacle which rests on the rear side of the unit.



#### **Attaching the Shoulder Strap**

Use the hooks to attach the shoulder strap to the vacuum cleaner.

First pass the flexible hose through the loop of the shoulder strap and then attach the two hooks to the strap hookup holes at the bottom of the vacuum cleaner as shown in illustration below.



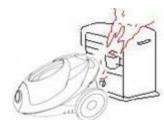
#### **Precautionary Measures**

**IMPORTANT**:

If the suction opening in the unit, the hose or the chrome telescopic tube are **BLOCKED**, switch off the vacuum cleaner and remove the blocking substance before you start the unit again.

1. Do not operate the vacuum cleaner to close to heaters, radiators or cigarette butts.





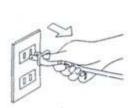
2. Before inserting the power plug into the wall outlet, make sure the your hands are dry.





- 3. Before you start vacuuming, make sure to remove large or sharp objects that might damage the dust cup filter.
- 4. When pulling out the power plug from the wall outlet, pull the plug not the power cord.





- 5. Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking such as cigarettes, matches or hot ashes.
- 6. Do not use without dust cup filter or filters in place.

**NOTE:** This vacuum cleaner is equipped with a plug and power cord that retract automatically. If the cord or plug get damaged, it must be replaced by a qualified technician.

<u>Warning</u>: Hold the plug when rewinding the cord. Do not allow the cord to <u>whip</u> when rewinding.

## **Assembling Your Vacuum Cleaner**

**NOTE:** Always remove the power plug from the wall outlet before assembling or removing accessories.

#### Attaching the Flexible Hose into the Vacuum 1.

Connect the flexible hose into the air intake duct. Push in until you hear a "click", indicating it is in its position.

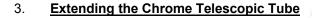
To remove the flexible hose, reverse the operation.



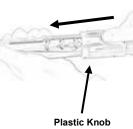
Air Intake Duct

#### Fitting the Chrome Telescopic Tube to the **Curved Wand / Hose Extension**

Push the chrome telescopic tube into the curved wand / hose extension, as shown in the illustration.

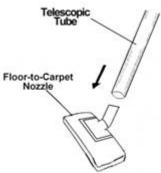


Push forward the plastic knob and pull the smaller tube outward.

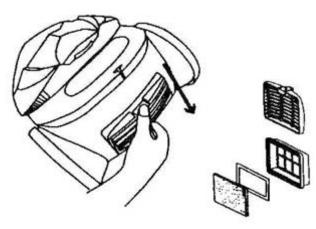


# Fitting the Floor Brush to the Telescopic Tube

Push the telescopic tube into the Floor brush. as shown in the illustration.



#### **Changing the Micro-Exhaust Filter**



- Remove the exhaust filter grill by pulling the locking tabs towards you.
- Remove the used micro-exhaust filter.
- Insert a new micro-exhaust filter and replace the filter grill.

IMPORTANT: This filter should be replaced every 6 months or sooner if required.

**IMPORTANT**: All filters should be checked regularly for signs of damage, preferable after each cleaning task. The filters must be replaced immediately if they become damaged. Always disconnect the vacuum from the electrical outlet when checking the filters.

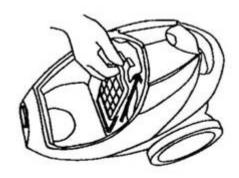
#### **Motor Thermostat**

IMPORTANT:

This motor is equipped with a motor protective thermostat. If for some reason the vacuum cleaner should overheat. the thermostat will automatically turn the unit off. Should this occur, unplug the vacuum cleaner from the wall outlet and turn off switch. Allow the unit to cool. To restart, replug into wall outlet and turn switch back ON.

## **Changing and Cleaning the Pre-Motor Filter**

- Filter should be cleaned at least twice a year or when it becomes visible solid.
- Always operate the cleaner with the filter installed.
- Disconnect from electrical outlet before cleaning the filter.
- Do not use a washing machine to rinse the filter.
- Do not use a hair dryer to dry it.





- Lift dust cup handle to remove dust cup (container).
- 2. Remove the filter from the grill-filter.
- 3. Rinse filter in lukewarm water and dry the filter completely.





- 4. Put the filter into the grill-filter.
- A severely solid or clogged filter should be thoroughly washed with fresh tepid water. A mild detergent can be used if required.

## **Using the Cleaning Tools**

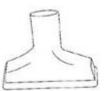
#### Crevice Tool

For radiators, crevices, corners, baseboards and between cushions.



#### 2. Dusting Brush

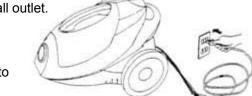
The dusting brush is used for the furniture, venetian blinds, books, lamp shades and shelves.



#### **Instructions for Use**

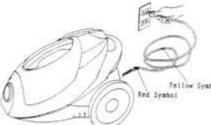
**NOTE:** Before using the appliance, unwind a sufficient length of cable and Insert the plug into the wall socket. A yellow mark on the power cord shows the ideal cable length. Don't pull the power cord beyond the red mark.

1. Insert the power plug into the wall outlet.



Press the Power On/Off Switch to activate the vacuum cleaner.

3. To rewind the power cord, press the cable rewind button with one hand and guide the power cord with the other hand to ensure that it does not whip causing damage.



### Removing the Dust Cup Filter

- 1. Push the Power On/Off switch to disconnect the power. Dust Cup Handle
- 2. Remove the flexible hose (see page 4).
- 3. Remove the dust cup by lifting the dust cup handle.
- 4. Take the dust cup filter out of the dust cup, do not let the dust fall out.
- 5. Take out the dust cup and dispose of the dust inside.

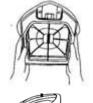
#### Caution:

If the dust is tightly packed and difficult to remove, lightly tap the front cover.

- 6. Insert the dust cup filter into the dust cup.
- 7. Attach the dust cup to the vacuum by pressing together until it is locked.
- 8. Reassemble the unit.









#### **CHANGING & CLEANING THE DUST CUP FILTER**

To achieve the best performance, empty the dust cup and clean the dust cup filter after each use.

- 1. To remove the dust cup (container), lift the dust cup handle and pull out the dust cup (container).
- 2. Pull out the dust cup filter.
- 3. Shake the dust from the dust cup filter into a garbage can to remove the dust that is accumulated on the dust cup filter surface..
- 4. Rinse the dust cup filter in cold water, and then wait until it dries completely before replacing it into the dust cup (container).
- 5. Place the dust cup filter carefully into the dust cup (container).
- 6. Replace the dust cup (container) back into the unit.